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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph 53 with the amended paragraph below. Support for this amendment can be found in Figures 10 and 11, which show coupling member 410.

[0053] "With reference now to Figures 10 and 11, one embodiment of device 101 is shown, in which second stent member 122 comprises a suprarenal anchoring member 412. A proximal stent member 408 (which may variously be referred to as a "main stent member" or a "sealing stent member") is coupled with aorta 100 at an infrarenal location. Generally, suprarenal anchoring member 412 and proximal stent member 408 may be coupled by any suitable means. In various embodiments, for example, they may be coupled with a coupling member 410 such as wires, ribbons, cables, bands and/or the like. Such connections prevent foreshortening of the overall device during implantation. Although these figures do not show hooks or anchors which penetrate the aortic wall to enhance the fixation, such hooks could be included if desired. Also, as shown best in Figure 11, in some embodiments proximal stent member 408 includes a two-lumen graft 414 into which two graft legs, as described further below, may be introduced. In other embodiments, however, proximal stent member 408 may have one leg pre-attached, both legs pre-attached of the like."